



SAN BENITO COUNTY FAIR JUNIOR LIVESTOCK AUCTION

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for you to make your purchases and fill your orders with the best quality product raised by our 4-H and FFA exhibitors. Plan to log in early to register as a buyer, set your limits and put in add on amounts. Then check back often to make sure you are not outbid. Don't miss the chance to fill your freezer with local grown meat and help our exhibitors complete the process of taking their project to market. Check your email to provide custom or resale orders immediately at close of Sale. Invoices will be mailed from the Fair office and must be paid by October 31st.



2020 brings us a New
VISION FOR FUN with
different and exciting
opportunities to succeed
in spite of a Pandemic!

AUCTION OPENS:
Thursday 9/24 at
9:00am

AUCTION CLOSES:
Saturday 9/26 at
3:00pm

Visit the Auction website or
our website for additional
buyer instructions.

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JUNIOR LIVESTOCK AUCTION

SEPTEMBER 24-26, 2020

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Dear Auction Supporter:

It's Fair time, and it is in a Completely different way than we have never seen it in San Benito County! We have cancelled many of our fun Fair activities and changed all of the others. We have created a path to encourage our young Agriculturalists to continue to learn, raise their livestock and offer them for sale at our Online Junior Livestock Auction. As anyone in production Ag knows, nothing is guaranteed, prices shift by day sometimes and sellers continue to need buyer support! We have committed to help provide a sale platform for all of the exhibitors who choose to take a risk in the Agriculture market in this crazy year and we committed to allow our buyers the opportunity for custom processing of the product.

We will be relying on our social media and Web site platforms a lot in an effort to reduce costs and conserve revenues for the survival of our Fairgrounds. Follow us on Facebook and watch our website for updates.

THANK YOU TO CALVISTA INSURANCE AGENCY, INC. FOR THEIR CONTINUED SUPPORT AS OUR JR. LIVESTOCK AUCTION SPONSOR.

THE ONLINE AUCTION WILL BE AVAILABLE AT

<https://www.stockshowauctions.com/auctions>

**The sale Opens Thursday September 24th at 9:00am and
Closes Saturday September 26th at 3:00pm.**

Add on Donations are allowed and will be open on the Auction site until Monday September 28th at 5:00pm.

Please log in to register as a buyer before the start of the sale.

Again, our Jr. Livestock exhibitors have raised superior quality livestock for the sale and committed countless hours to their projects. We will be selling all market ready steers, lambs, hogs, goats, meat rabbit pens and turkeys **by the lot not per pound** during the auction. This is an excellent opportunity to fill your freezer with top quality meat! If for some reason you do not want to keep the meat, arrangements can be made for the resale of the animals at the current market price. If you would like to make add on donations for our Jr. Livestock exhibitors, you may do that through the Auction site (SSA) until Monday Sept 28th at 5:00pm or you can print an add on form from the website, www.sanbenitocountyfair.com and mail it in with a check to the Fair Office. Separately mailed add ons must include payment and be postmarked on Monday September 28th or they will be returned to the sender. If we do not receive payment for the add ons from SSA site by the date we process the seller's checks, 11/12/20, they will not receive the money.

Payments by cash, check or credit card are to be made after the receipt of the invoice from the San Benito County Fair office. You can mail a payment by check, call with a credit card payment (with a 2% fee) or come to the office during business hours to make a payment. Buyer payment is required to be able to pay the sellers timely. Please plan to make your payments by October 31, 2020.

Thank you for your continued support of the San Benito County Fair Junior Livestock Auction! If you have any questions or need more information, please call the **Fair Office at (831) 628-3421** or email dara@sanbenitocountyfair.com

THANK YOU!

Sincerely,

Mark Tobias

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SBC Fair/Jr. Livestock Auction Chair



BUYER REGISTRATION

Buyer will need to pre-register to be a buyer before being able to bid on an animal or add on to a lot. Log into www.stockshowauctions.com (SSA) on your computer, tablet or your phone and select login/register on the top of the home page.

You will need to create your account with the following information;

- Stock Show Auctions web page works best on Chrome, Firefox, Edge or Safari browsers.
- User name of your choice – Case sensitive and used to recover forgotten passwords
- Password of your choice
- First and Last Name
- Email Address you can access anywhere – THIS IS CRITICAL IF YOU WANT A CUSTOM ORDER
- Email Address can only be used once.
- Sale day phone number and billing phone number
- Mailing address – Where the bill will be delivered from the Fair Livestock office
- Read and Agree to the terms of the Sale

Write this information down and keep it with you so you won't get locked out during the sale. Take time to learn the site early in the sale, bidding will be more fun!

Click on BUYERS at the top of the screen then Buyer Instructions on the right to see step by step and video instructions for navigating the site.

BIDDING & ADD ONS

You are now set up to find our Sale and place your bids. Take time to learn the site early in the sale, bidding will be more fun!

- Look through other upcoming sales to familiarize yourself with the layout and procedure.
- Under the Buyers tab at the top of the screen, you will find video instructions and written instructions.
- Click AUCTIONS at the top of the screen
- Choose San Benito County Fair Junior Livestock Auction
- Read and familiarize yourself with any announcements or specific terms.
- Search for exhibitors by Species, County, Exhibitors Name, City, or FFA/4-H Club.
- Add Ons may be placed by clicking the ADD ON button during the sale, bringing payment to the Fair office by 5:00pm Monday 9/28 or by mailing the enclosed form WITH PAYMENT to the Fair Livestock Office. Mailed add ons must be Postmarked Monday 9/28/2020.
- Add Ons must be paid before they are paid to the seller.
- Remember you are bidding on the whole animal, NOT by the pound.
- There are no bid retractions. YOUR BID CANNOT BE CANCELLED ONCE SUBMITTED. Be sure you are bidding carefully.
- Should a lot be removed from the sale, all bids and add-ons will be nullified.

AUCTION ITEMS

We are selling approximately 135 lots of different market animals. You will be able to see all of the lots during the entire auction. You can revisit and update your bids at any time.

- Market Rabbits
- Market Turkeys
- Market Steers
- Market Lambs
- Market Goats
- Market Hogs

COMPLETE YOUR SALE AND BILLING

You will be able to keep track of your bid items in the Account section of your screen. You will also be able to watch your invoice in that section as well. The invoice is for informational purposes and will be finalized and sent to you from the San Benito County Fair Junior Livestock office.

If you are the winning bidder, SSA will send you an email to request your instructions for custom or resale. You must respond to the email by 7:00pm September 26th or the purchase will be listed as resale.

All custom purchases of Hogs, Lambs, Goats and Steers will be sent to:

Freedom Meat Locker in Freedom CA for cut and wrap. We will provide your phone number to them and they will reach out to you for instructions. You may also call them at 831-724-4355. You will pay the cut and wrap fee directly to Freedom Meat Locker when you pick up your packages.

Custom Turkeys and Rabbit buyers will be contacted for delivery instructions.

Custom purchases will include a Process and Delivery charge as follows:

HOGS - \$45 LAMBS & GOATS - \$50 BEEF - \$250 RABBITS & TURKEYS - \$15

Resale purchases will be discounted by the current market price on September 28, 2020

Example resale value per pound: Hogs - \$0.55 Lambs - \$1.46 Goats - \$1.30 Beef - \$1.35

San Benito County Fair Livestock Office will receive the buyer information from SSA and will send invoices to the buyers. We will use the address you entered when you registered to bid so please be sure that is a correct mailing address. We will mail invoices on October 9th and request payment no later than October 31st. Please call us immediately on receipt if there is a question on the billing.

- Checks can be made Payable to San Benito County Fair JLA
- Credit card payments may be made by calling or coming to the office. There will be a 2% fee for Credit card transactions.
- Cash payments may be made at the Fair office (M-F 9:00-4:30) starting Monday October 12th. All office visits require face coverings, social distancing and compliance with current county health guidelines.

Mail payments or inquiries to; San Benito County Fair - PO Box 780 - Tres Pinos, Ca 95075

Placing a bid is a binding contract between you and the Owner/Seller and the bid cannot be retracted. Once a Bidder places a bid, and the bid is the high/winning bid, the Bidder will be obligated to buy the lot at the price bid. Placing a bid on this online auction site, winning and then not paying for the lot is illegal in most states and just not very nice.

We cannot pay the Owner/Seller until the Bidder pays for their purchase.

As a Bidder, you are responsible for any bids placed by you or a designated representative under your bidding number and password. The security of your Bidder information is your sole responsibility and the Bidder will be responsible for any and all bids placed under the assigned number. If you feel that your Bidder number or passwords have been compromised, notify the auctioneer (SSA) immediately.

**THANK YOU TO OUR
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This has been an unprecedented year for ALL of us and we are grateful to those who were able to contribute to our efforts to bring a bit of FAIR to our exhibitors and our community.

Thank you for your participation and continued support!



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